

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Confirmation No. 3150

In re the Application of

Takahiro Nakajima, et al.

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AMENDMENT

SIR:

Applicants request a two-month extension of time for responding to the Office Action mailed April 13, 2007 in the above-identified application, which with payment of the requisite fee extends the response period to September 13, 2007. Please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Statement of Substance of Interview and Remarks begin on page 44.

Submitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination.

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